



NEWS RELEASE

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Brazos River Flood Update

The Brazos River at the Brazoria Reservoir has remained at 22.70 feet as of 2 p.m. on today, June 9th. This is down from a high of 22.80 feet recorded on Tuesday, June 7th.

Oyster Creek has remained at 17.60 feet as of 2 p.m. today, June 9th, which is down from a high of 17.62 recorded at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, June 8th.

The Bastrop Bayou at the SH 288 south crossing was 17.36 feet as of 10 a.m. today, June 9th. This is down from a peak of 17.63 reached on Tuesday, June 7th. Bastrop Bayou at the Old Angleton Road (CR 288) was at 12.95 as of 8 a.m. today, June 9th. This is down from a peak of 13.73 at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, June 8th.

As you can see, our levels have stabilized and have begun a very slow fall. As stated in earlier news releases, levels in the river, creek, and bayou will remain high for several days to come.

Our main concern is still rain. Most of our internal system has been pumped down and is in good shape. However, Northwood Subdivision and the northeast portion of the City served by the Brazos Canal cannot afford any more rain.

We will continue to monitor this situation 24/7.